

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS (CPI-U)

Washington, DC-MD-VA, MSA

	ALL ITEMS											1967=100
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
1984	303.7		305.1		305.7		308.3		313.0		315.1	
1985	314.6		319.2		319.8		323.3		323.6		326.9	
1986	331.1		329.1		329.6		329.3		332.3		334.0	
1987	335.7		338.0		340.5		343.1		347.8		349.7	
1988	349.3		351.9		354.5		356.4		362.5		363.7	
1989	366.9		372.4		375.2		377.2		384.1		385.3	
1990	389.6		395.1		395.6		400.7		407.3		408.7	
1991	410.7		411.1		415.9		415.9		423.1		421.0	
1992	422.0		422.3		422.8		427.6		431.1		433.8	
1993	436.4		438.4		440.4		440.6		441.9		445.5	
1994	445.4		447.2		447.0		448.1		453.6		451.8	
1995	454.1		457.8		456.7		460.9		461.1		458.1	
1996	462.8		467.7		469.6		472.6		474.8		475.9	
1997	477.1		478.1		478.5		480.9		483.1		477.6	

PERCENT CHANGE FROM 12 MONTHS AGO

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
1983	4.1		3.8		5.2		5.6		3.8		4.4	
1984	5.0		5.5		4.3		3.8		5.3		5.4	
1985	3.6		4.6		4.6		4.9		3.4		3.7	
1986	5.2		3.1		3.1		1.9		2.7		2.2	
1987	1.4		2.7		3.3		4.2		4.7		4.7	
1988	4.1		4.1		4.1		3.9		4.2		4.0	
1989	5.0		5.8		5.8		5.8		6.0		5.9	
1990	6.2		6.1		5.4		6.2		6.0		6.1	
1991	5.4		4.0		5.1		3.8		3.9		3.0	
1992	2.8		2.7		1.7		2.8		1.9		3.0	
1993	3.4		3.8		4.2		3.0		2.5		2.7	
1994	2.1		2.0		1.5		1.7		2.6		1.4	
1995	2.0		2.4		2.2		2.9		1.7		1.4	
1996	1.9		2.2		2.8		2.5		3.0		3.9	
1997	3.1		2.2		1.9		1.8		1.7		0.4	

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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR URBAN WAGE EARNERS (CPI-W)

Washington, DC-MD-VA, MSA

	ALL ITEMS											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
1983	293.2		294.6		297.8		300.3		301.2		303.0	
1984	308.3		308.2		308.9		310.8		317.9		319.2	
1985	317.7		322.3		323.0		325.9		327.4		330.5	
1986	332.6		330.5		330.2		330.2		334.6		335.9	
1987	337.7		340.1		343.2		345.4		350.8		353.1	
1988	352.1		354.9		357.2		359.2		366.2		367.3	
1989	370.5		376.3		379.2		381.2		388.0		388.2	
1990	392.8		397.9		397.7		403.0		410.1		411.0	
1991	412.4		413.0		418.1		416.9		424.6		422.7	
1992	423.2		423.3		423.9		429.1		432.0		434.5	
1993	436.0		437.9		440.3		440.4		441.8		444.8	
1994	444.0		445.8		446.8		447.3		453.9		451.1	
1995	452.7		456.5		456.1		459.6		459.7		456.6	
1996	460.9		465.5		469.3		471.9		473.8		475.4	
1997	476.0		476.6		478.3		479.8		482.4		476.4	

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1984	5.2		4.6		3.7		3.5		5.5		5.3	
1985	3.0		4.6		4.6		4.9		3.0		3.5	
1986	4.7		2.5		2.2		1.3		2.2		1.6	
1987	1.5		2.9		3.9		4.6		4.8		5.1	
1988	4.3		4.4		4.1		4.0		4.4		4.0	
1989	5.2		6.0		6.2		6.1		6.0		5.7	
1990	6.0		5.7		4.9		5.7		5.7		5.9	
1991	5.0		3.8		5.1		3.4		3.5		2.8	
1992	2.6		2.5		1.4		2.9		1.7		2.8	
1993	3.0		3.4		3.9		2.6		2.3		2.4	
1994	1.8		1.8		1.5		1.6		2.7		1.4	
1995	2.0		2.4		2.1		2.7		1.3		1.2	
1996	1.8		2.0		2.9		2.7		3.1		4.1	
1997	3.3		2.4		1.9		1.7		1.8		0.2	

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